

Subject: General Society of Colonial Wars--  
insignia of

Ladd, William W., Hon.  
[20 Nassau St.]

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# GENERAL SOCIETY OF COLONIAL WARS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL  
20 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, N.Y.

March 30, 1921.

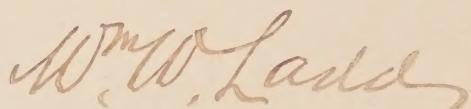
My dear Sir:-

Some time since you wrote the New York State Society of Colonial Wars with respect to decorations to be issued for War Service.

The General Society of Colonial Wars took this matter under consideration and authorized the issue to those who were commissioned or enlisted in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States during the World War of a bronze Insignia designed and struck off by Tiffany & Co. and the issue was authorized to those who served in a civilian capacity of an engraved and embossed Certificate prepared by the same company.

I understood from your letter of October 29, 1919 that your Society is interested in the War Service Decoration. I have now the pleasure, of sending to you today by express Insignia No. 2 to form part of your Society's collection.

Very truly yours,



Governor General

Chairman of Committee.

Howland Wood, Esqre.,  
Curator, The American Numismatic Society,  
Broadway & 155th Street.

April 5th, 1921

Hon. William W. Ladd  
General Society of Colonial Wars  
20 Nassau Street, New York

Dear Sir:

Your communication of March 30th at hand, and yesterday the package containing the insignia given by the General Society of Colonial Wars to those who took part in the Great War came to hand.

On behalf of the Society, I beg to thank you very much for sending this for our collection. And I also desire to compliment you on the general excellence of the badge.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

January 13th, 1922

Colonel William W. Ladd  
20 Nassau Street  
New York City

Dear Sir:

Mr. Henry Russell Drowne handed me the other day the Louisburg medal issued by the Society of Colonial Wars.

I beg to thank you very sincerely on behalf of the Society for this gift to our Museum.

Appreciating your interest, I am

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E